

FILE NO. PIN 31

DATE: March 1, 2001

POLICY INTENT NOTICE**SUBJECT:** Interim Work Progress Schedule - SB 1801 (Chapter 850, Statute 2000)**Background:**

Health and Safety Code Section 130060, as amended by Senate Bill 1801 (Chapter 850, Statute 2000), establishes a mechanism for certain hospital buildings to obtain a five-year extension to the January 1, 2008 seismic compliance deadline established in the Seismic Evaluation Procedure Regulations (SB 1953). Within this statutory language, there are eligibility requirements that certain buildings must meet to obtain the extension. OSHPD refers to these buildings as "trigger buildings" as they trigger the extension provisions. This amended Health and Safety Code language also requires that the Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development (OSHPD) establish a schedule of interim work progress deadlines that hospitals must meet to be eligible for the five-year extension of the deadline for seismic compliance. OSHPD shall establish this interim schedule no later than March 1, 2001.

POLICY:

In compliance with the provisions of Health and Safety Code Section 130060, OSHPD has established the following schedule of interim work progress deadlines. To be eligible for an extension of the seismic compliance deadline of January 1, 2008 for achieving Structural Performance Category 2 (SPC-2) and Nonstructural Performance Category 3 (NPC-3), a general acute care hospital must meet the following requirements and deadlines.

Requirement**Compliance Deadline**

Hospital meets NPC-2 requirements.

January 1, 2002

All applications for five-year extension
Note: When the trigger building is self-declared SPC-1 pursuant to Section 130060(b) of the Health and Safety Code, a full structural evaluation shall be provided with the application for extension, in accordance with Title 24, Part 1, Chapter 6.

January 1, 2003

Submit amended Compliance Plan

July 1, 2004

Apply for Building Permit
Note: Application for Building Permit shall be in accordance with the approved compliance plan.

January 1, 2009

Notify OSHPD of construction

January 1, 2010

Note: Commencement of construction shall be in accordance with the approved compliance plan.

Completion of Construction/Beneficial Occupancy

January 1, 2013

Note: Beneficial occupancy and completion of the project in accordance with the approved compliance plan.

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